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**10/516840**INTERNATIONAL APPLICATION NO.  
**PCT/JP03/07154**INTERNATIONAL FILING DATE  
**05 June 2003 (05.06.03)**PRIORITY DATE CLAIMED  
**05 June 2002 (05.06.02)**

TITLE OF INVENTION

**POLYSILOXANE FILM AND PROCESS FOR PRODUCING THE SAME**

APPLICANT(S) FOR DO/EO/US

**SUTO, Michitaka; KATOSOULIS, Dimitris; KUSHIBIKI Nobuo;**

Applicant herewith submits to the United States Designated/Elected Office (DO/EO/US) the following items and other information:

1. ☒ This is a **FIRST** submission of items concerning a submission under 35 U.S.C. 371.
2. ☐ This is a **SECOND** or **SUBSEQUENT** submission of items concerning a submission under 35 U.S.C. 371.
3. ☒ This is an express request to begin national examination procedures (35 U.S.C. 371(f)). The submission must include items (5), (6), (9) and (24) indicated below.
4. ☒ The US has been elected (Article 31).
5. ☒ A copy of the International Application as filed (35 U.S.C. 371 (c) (2))
  - a. ☒ is attached hereto (required only if not communicated by the International Bureau).
  - b. ☐ has been communicated by the International Bureau.
  - c. ☐ is not required, as the application was filed in the United States Receiving Office (RO/US).
6. ☒ An English language translation of the International Application as filed (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(2)).
  - a. ☒ is attached hereto.
  - b. ☐ has been previously submitted under 35 U.S.C. 154(d)(4).
7. ☐ Amendments to the claims of the International Application under PCT Article 19 (35 U.S.C. 371 (c)(3))
  - a. ☐ are attached hereto (required only if not communicated by the International Bureau).
  - b. ☐ have been communicated by the International Bureau.
  - c. ☐ have not been made; however, the time limit for making such amendments has NOT expired.
  - d. ☐ have not been made and will not be made.
8. ☐ An English language translation of the amendments to the claims under PCT Article 19 (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(3)).
9. ☐ An oath or declaration of the inventor(s) (35 U.S.C. 371 (c)(4)).
10. ☐ An English language translation of the annexes to the International Preliminary Examination Report under PCT Article 36 (35 U.S.C. 371 (c)(5)).
11. ☒ A copy of the International Preliminary Examination Report (PCT/IPEA/409).
12. ☒ A copy of the International Search Report (PCT/ISA/210).

**Items 13 to 23 below concern document(s) or information included:**

13. ☐ An Information Disclosure Statement under 37 CFR 1.97 and 1.98.
14. ☐ An assignment document for recording. A separate cover sheet in compliance with 37 CFR 3.28 and 3.31 is included.
15. ☒ A **FIRST** preliminary amendment.
16. ☐ A **SECOND** or **SUBSEQUENT** preliminary amendment.
17. ☐ A substitute specification.
18. ☐ A power of attorney and/or change of address letter.
19. ☐ A computer-readable form of the sequence listing in accordance with PCT Rule 13ter.2 and 37 CFR 1.821 - 1.825.
20. ☐ A second copy of the published International Application under 35 U.S.C. 154(d)(4).
21. ☐ A second copy of the English language translation of the International Application under 35 U.S.C. 154(d)(4).
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24. The following fees are submitted:.. <b>BASIC NATIONAL FEE (37 CFR 1.492(a)(1)-(5)) :</b> <div style="display: flex; justify-content: space-between;"> <div> <input type="checkbox"/> Neither international preliminary examination fee (37 CFR 1.482) nor international search fee (37 CFR 1.445(a)(2)) paid to USPTO and International Search Report not prepared by the EPO or JPO .....  <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> International preliminary examination fee (37 CFR 1.482) not paid to USPTO but International Search Report prepared by the EPO or JPO .....  <input type="checkbox"/> International preliminary examination fee (37 CFR 1.482) not paid to USPTO but international search fee (37 CFR 1.445(a)(2)) paid to USPTO .....  <input type="checkbox"/> International preliminary examination fee (37 CFR 1.482) paid to USPTO but all claims did not satisfy provisions of PCT Article 33(1)-(4) .....  <input type="checkbox"/> International preliminary examination fee (37 CFR 1.482) paid to USPTO and all claims satisfied provisions of PCT Article 33(1)-(4) .....           </div> <div style="text-align: right;">             \$1110.00              \$950.00              \$790.00              \$750.00              \$100.00           </div> </div> <div style="text-align: right; margin-top: 5px;"> <b>ENTER APPROPRIATE BASIC FEE AMOUNT =</b>  <div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 2px; display: inline-block;">\$950.00</div> </div>				<b>CALCULATIONS PTO USE ONLY</b> <div style="border: 1px solid black; height: 100px; width: 100%;"></div>	
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<b>TOTAL OF ABOVE CALCULATIONS =</b>				<b>\$1,126.00</b>	
<input type="checkbox"/> Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27. The fees indicated above are reduced by 1/2.				\$0.00	
<b>SUBTOTAL =</b>				<b>\$1,126.00</b>	
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Fee for recording the enclosed assignment (37 CFR 1.21(h)). The assignment must be accompanied by an appropriate cover sheet (37 CFR 3.28, 3.31) (check if applicable). <input type="checkbox"/>				\$0.00	
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<b>NOTE:</b> Where an appropriate time limit under 37 CFR 1.494 or 1.495 has not been met, a petition to revive (37 CFR 1.137(a) or (b)) must be filed and granted to restore the International Application to pending status.					
SEND ALL CORRESPONDENCE TO:  <div style="display: flex; justify-content: space-between;"> <div style="width: 60%;"> <b>DAVID M. LAPRAIRIE</b>  <b>HOWARD &amp; HOWARD ATTORNEYS, P.C.</b>            39400 Woodward Avenue, Suite 101            Bloomfield Hills, Michigan 48304-5151            US         </div> <div style="width: 35%; text-align: center;"> <div style="font-size: 18pt; font-family: cursive; margin-bottom: 5px;">David M. LaPrairie</div>           SIGNATURE   <div style="border-top: 1px solid black; margin-bottom: 5px;"></div>           David M. LaPrairie            NAME   <div style="border-top: 1px solid black; margin-bottom: 5px;"></div>           46,295            REGISTRATION NUMBER   <div style="border-top: 1px solid black; margin-bottom: 5px;"></div>           December 3, 2004            DATE         </div> </div>					